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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated May 19, 2005 and the Advisory Action dated August 26, 2005, concerning the above-captioned patent application.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: